

SOUTHERN LIFE

Deal Is Closed After Many Difficulties Of The Big Negro Financial Institution Of Atlanta, Ga.

And Bishop Jones Among Those Who Resigned. Merger Regarded As Absorp-

Special to The Argus.
ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 15.—The Southern Life Insurance Company of Nashville, Tenn., and the Standard

today. By the terms of agreement the Southern will exchange four shares, valued at 5.50 for each share of the Standard. The Southern also agreed to take up the obligations of The Service Company. It was brought out in the meeting that the Standard

estimates running from three to four hundred thousand dollars.

It will be remembered that the trouble and financial difficulties of the Standard were first brought to light following the alleged purchase of

a little more than a year ago. It was said at that time that the Standard's finances were impaired to the extent that it was forced to resell the Mississippi Life to the Southern Life, the company which now has charge of the Standard's affairs.

stockholders as well as the colored people generally, when a short while ago it was stated that Eastern capitalists, headed by Julius Rosenwald of Chicago, had arranged to finance the Standard out of its difficulties, but for some mysterious reason, at

refused. This, it is said, badly affected the morale of those struggling against great odds, and as a result, the same Southern Life that took the Mississippi off the Standard's hands about a year ago, now comes to the rescue and takes over the

CITIZEN'S COUNCIL

ORGANIZED HERE

Social And Civic Welfare
Of The People Is Object,
It Is Said, Ministers And

Leaders In Move Laymen And Politicians May Be- come Members

The object of the organization as explained by the temporary chairman, the Rev. S. A. Moseley, is to organize, as far as possible, all fac-

city for offensive and defensive purposes along social and racial lines, looking forward to protecting and guarding the welfare of the people.

Speaking further along this line, Rev. Moseley said, "This is the one organization in which we all can

men and politicians. The time is ripe for us to come together in a big way, and I believe that this move will come nearer unifying all factions than anything else."

Reports of committees, and permanent organization will be the principal business next Monday afternoon

**WHITES OPENLY UNITE TO
RETARD NEGRO DWELLERS**

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 14.—Segregation clubs are the latest things in the line of race animosity. It has been revealed here by the appearance of an organization known

tion, whose chief purpose is to prevent Negroes from living in the districts where there are white dwellers. This club, which has been the said breeder of many similar bodies throughout the South, was organized by Edwin Bollé, the would-be master

The segregation clubs, which are composed of all classes of whites, use the old argument, "a black stain to Nordic superiority," as a cause for their failing to help back the negroes there.

Society and Local Notes

Mr. Jas. Hewitt of 2931 Pine St. has been confined to bed for several days, but is improving.

Mrs. W. C. Maxwell of 4254 Lucky street will entertain the Players Club Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Sam Hagan of 1707 Pendleton avenue will entertain the West End Matrons, Monday afternoon, at her home.

Rev. S. T. Tyler of Kirkwood, Mo. has undergone an operation at Barnes Hospital successfully, and doing nicely.

Fred Montgomery of 2812 Laclede who underwent an operation at City Hospital No. 2, last Friday, is reported improving.

Mr. Harry L. Phillips of Summer High, Faculty, was host to the ladies at his home, 4154 Earhart, Saturday evening.

Mr. M. R. Hapson of 2134 Marston street, has returned from Huntington, Tenn. where he spent the holidays with relatives.

Dr. T. A. Curtis, dentist and Dr. William Curtis, physician, at their offices, at 2224 Market St., to 615 N. Jefferson.

Mrs. Wm. H. Huffman, of 1625 Arlington avenue, will be hostess to the ladies of the St. Louis Y. M. C. A. on Saturday, January 17.

Mrs. Frank L. Williams of 2172 Earhart avenue, has gone East on a visit. She will also visit relatives in Kentucky before her return.

Mrs. Ruby Lee Patterson of 2717 Walnut, left for another visit to her mother, Mrs. A. M. Patterson.

Mrs. M. E. Greer of 2927 Finney avenue, visited her sisters and relatives in Carbondale, Ill. on Saturday. She reports a fine trip.

Mrs. P. M. Bradshaw, who spent the holidays with her children and friends, has returned to her home in Kentucky, to re-enter the Normal school.

Mr. John B. French of Chicago, visited his daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Phillips of 120 West Belle, three days this week.

Mr. Jas. H. Harrison, undertaker, for four weeks is much improved and expects to return home in the next few days.

Mrs. Charles Smith of Cleveland, who was here to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. George W. McKinnon of 2600 Larkin avenue, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Lillie Linton of 2629 Walnut street, entertained a few friends at a six o'clock dinner last Monday evening, in honor of her friend, Mrs. V. Clara Tate of Reno, Nev.

Mrs. Wm. White, of 4124 Harris avenue, who has been seriously ill, learning of the sudden death of a dear friend, is out again and goes to the funeral of that friend and friends for the kindness shown her.

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Miss Ruth Dixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dixon, of 410 West Belle, has entered the University of Illinois, where she will study for a degree in education.

Mrs. James L. Fisher of 3401 Wyoming street, left Friday morning for an indefinite stay in Chicago, Ill., where she will spend the winter with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Sylvia Wallace.

Mrs. E. Owsley entertained New Year's day at her home, 410 West Belle, with a large number of guests who were Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bell, and Mrs. L. Owsley of Indianapolis; Mrs. Lulu Owsley of Indianapolis; and Mr. Clifford Rockwell of Indianapolis.

Dr. J. T. Phillips, prominent physician of Nashville, Tenn., who spent several days of this week in St. Louis, the house guest of his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart, 4140 W. Belle place. The doctor was on route to his home from Chicago.

Dr. Terry M. Hall, formerly at Leducville and Wash. has moved to the southeast corner of Jefferson and Franklin, over the Economy Drug Store, opposite Jefferson Bank, where he has equipped dental office. Phone: Room 2008.

The Phenixia Girls club will meet with Mrs. J. E. Fisher, at her home, 410 West Belle, on Saturday afternoon. The Bachelor Girls will be guests of the club. The club will be held on Saturday, January 17, at 11:30 a. m. The club will be held on Saturday, January 17, at 11:30 a. m. The club will be held on Saturday, January 17, at 11:30 a. m.

Mrs. Sada Dillard, of Chicago, Ill., Jan. 14 (Special).—Mrs. Sada Dillard, formerly of Chicago, Ill., who was the proprietor of a popular music and periodical store at 310 North State street, Chicago, Ill., was granted a divorce from her husband, William W. Dillard, by Judge Joseph C. Connelley, of the Superior Court of Cook County, Illinois, last week. The bill, as filed by Atty. J. Ernest Williams, 184 W. Washington street, Chicago, charged the defendant with continued and repeated cruelty and the contempt of court. The court not only granted the divorce, but also ordered that the plaintiff be allowed to resume her maiden name of Sada Dillard.

Mrs. Dillard will continue her place of business as the Willow Music and Periodical Shop at the number above.

Report of Xmas Donation To The Old Folks Home

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CLUBS

THE SHUFFLE ALONG
The Shuffle Along Social Club held its regular meeting at the residence of Mrs. John Johnson, 2000 Morgan St., Thursday evening, January 21. After the routine business, a hearty repeat was served. The meeting adjourned to meet at their entertainment Saturday, January 21 at 3215 Lucas. All clubs are invited to meet. W. A. Polk, President; Leona Montgomery, Reporter.

Don't forget about the 7th at 1115 N. 24th St. Nat. Sec.

AEOLIAN GIRLS
The Aeolian Girls met last week at the residence of Miss Jane Lucks, 3095 Madison St., Jan. 21. After the discussion of the Sports Dance, we adjourned to meet with Miss Lucille Lane, 1527 West 13th.

Miss Mattie Williams, President; Miss Katherine Wright, Reporter.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank the public and various clubs for making our first House Dance a success.

TABLE SOCIAL
The Table Social Club will meet Sunday evening, January 21, 1925, at the residence of Mrs. Bettie Jones, 201 S. Lottinwell. All members are requested to be present. Business of importance.

LYRIC CLUB
The Lyric Club held its first meeting of the year at the residence of Mrs. Blackburn, 2017 Clark avenue, on the 21st.

MELROSE CLUB, S. KINLOCH, MO.
The Melrose Club met at the home of Mrs. L. Swazier, Jan. 21, 1925. After business, a lunch was served by the hostess. Meeting at Mrs. S. Carpenter's, January 17. All members please be present.

LA GOIRIE WHIST
The La Goirie Whist Club held its regular meeting Monday evening, January 12, 1925, at the home of Mrs. R. Neale, 4261 W. Cook. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess. The rest of the evening was spent playing whist. The first prize was won by Mrs. Josephine Davis and the second by Mrs. Jennie Pitts. Ad. declared themselves as having had a wonderful time. Mrs. J. Neale as a wonderful hostess.

THE LA JOVAL GIRLS
The La Joval Girls met at the residence of Mrs. Bertha Pinner with Mrs. E. Anderson as hostess. A delightful three course dinner was served. The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Mary Johnson, 3028 Morgan.

ANNOUNCEMENT
The Atlanta Girls will celebrate their First Anniversary by featuring something entirely different and novel from anything that has been presented to the dancing public here. We aim to present something that will live long in the minds of those who attend this affair.

MATRONS COUNCIL, H. OF J.
The Matrons Council H. of J. will meet at the home of Mrs. Sadie Dunbar, 4655 W. Cook avenue, Wednesday, January 21, 1925, at 8:30 o'clock.

MARINELLA CLUB
The Marinella Club met at the home of Mrs. R. H. 1115 N. 24th St. Business of importance was discussed. The club adjourned to meet at 4822 Broughton avenue.

LA MOYNE CLUB
A very interesting meeting of the La Moyne Club was held Sunday at the residence of Mrs. Mary Taylor, 4524 Finney, December 21. The members were jubilant over the presence of the president, Mrs. Mary Taylor, who was reported by Mr. Bass, reported the indoor Circus a success. Much business of importance was transacted at the close of the business part of the meeting. Mrs. Taylor was called upon to read a letter of appreciation of Hill's "When White Meets Black." On account of sickness in her family, she yielded to Mrs. Ch. Stanley who made it very interesting for all. At the close of the meeting, the members adjourned to the dining room where a sumptuous repeat was served by Mrs. Taylor. The members of the club were very much pleased with the entertainment. The members of the club were very much pleased with the entertainment. The members of the club were very much pleased with the entertainment.

GOLD MEDAL
The Gold Medal Social Club met Thursday, Jan. 21 at the residence of Mrs. N. W. Washington, 4146 Broughton. The members were very much pleased with the entertainment. The members of the club were very much pleased with the entertainment. The members of the club were very much pleased with the entertainment.

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ST. RITA OLD FASHION BARN DANCE

PLYTHAM TEMPLE, 3137 Pmg St. WEDNESDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 21

EXTRA SPECIAL PARADISE DANCE PALACE

SUNDAY AFTERNOON AND NITE, JANUARY 18

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MISS ALICE RAMSEY

MISS EVON ROBINSON

MR. LEROY MORTON

MR. RUSSELL LEE

In A Novelty Act

Dewey Jackson and his 6 Humming Birds

SPECIAL DISHES

Sunday Eve, January 18

From 7 to 12

Blue Point Cocktails

Fresh Lobster Cocktails

Fresh Fruit Cocktails

Hearts of Midland Chicken

French Entree

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AVLANDA Anniversary DANCE

TUESDAY EVE, JANUARY 20

Music by Chas. Creath

930 N. SARAH ST.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON AND NITE, JANUARY 18

Music by Chas. Creath

From 2 p. m. to 7

From 8 till Late

To Appreciate

And Don't Forget

We Have In Our Kitchen Now

A Real Chef

EVERY ONE KNOWS WILL RICE

His Motto is: "To Please Every One"

W. A. Morant & John Lathos

surprise first Monday evening, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. He was the recipient of a number of beautiful and useful gifts, for which he expressed his most sincere appreciation.

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THEATRES-CONTINUED

female star.
George O'Brien and Dorothy Mackall in "The Man Who Came Back" will be the Sunday special. The story narrates the tragedy of a young New Yorker who goes the pace that kills, winding up on a beach combing the Orient. Drugs and liquor have robbed him of his manhood. His fall offers a wealth of dramatic possibilities. His "rise" due to the influence of a good woman, is equally as spectacular.
Mrs. Novak and Pauline Starke in "Missing Daughters," and Pete Morrison in "Black Gold" are double features for Monday.
Lionel Barrymore will be featured in "I Am the Man" on Tuesday. The double feature for Wednesday will have Shirley Mason in "The Great Diamond Mystery" and Buck Jones in "Winners Take All." Richard Barthelmess will be shown in "Classmates," a West Point picture, on Thursday; and Betty Compson in "White Shadows" next Friday.

THE JESTER
Six reels of fun will be offered in Larry Semon's "The Girl in the Limousine," at the Jester Theatre this Saturday.

Elinor Glyn's "His Hour" featuring Allen Pringle and John Gilbert will be the attraction on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. The story is of a naughty English widow, beautifully feminine and charming, who meets Grizko, a young Prince, loved by all and noted for his devilry and daring. She is attracted forcibly to him and he to her, but her proud English will does not unbind and she firmly resolves not to become what every other woman of her acquaintance has—a devoted lover. But for the first time love has come to her. The Prince and she are mystified by it. It baffles him to such a degree that he cannot recognize it until at the climax of the story. There are some gorgeous scenes, particularly the snow scenes, which are supposed to take place in St. Petersburg and Moscow.
Charles Ray will be seen in "The Courtship of Miles Standish" on Wednesday. The attraction for next Thursday and Friday will be "The Girl of the Year," a story of the younger generation, of the flappers and their "cake-eaters." Eleanor Boardman plays the role of Mary, the modern flapper.

THE LINCOLN
"A Self Made Failure" will be the feature at the Lincoln Theatre this Saturday. Ben Alexander and Lloyd Hamilton are the stars in this rollicking comedy. "The Fool's Awakening," with two personalities, featuring Barbara La Marr and Bert Lytell, will be the Sunday special; and "White Tiger" will be shown next Friday.
"The Man Who Came Back" is the special for Thursday. The story deals with the life of a young New York millionaire who eventually becomes a derelict in Shanghai. His fall and rise will be featured. Influenced by a woman, makes a narrative which offers a wealth of romance and all of the action necessary to a first rate picture.
"Fools' Highway," with Mary Philbin will be shown next Friday.

THE RETINA
The Retina Theatre program will open Saturday with Jack Hoxie in "The Western Wall." Tom Mix will be seen in "The Man From Texas" on Sunday. The big specials to follow are: Buddy Roosevelt in "The Fighting Ruddy" on Monday; "Fighting Night" Tuesday; Buffalo Bill Jr. in "Fast and Fearless" Wednesday; "The Yankee Consul" next Friday.
The Roosevelt Theatre will present Jackie Coogan in "A Boy of Flanders" on Saturday. Five acts of vaudeville will be featured on Sunday, and amateur vaudeville Thursday. The picture special for next Friday and Saturday will be broken barriers.

SAYS SOUTH MUST WAKE UP
Associated Negro Press
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—(AP)—Southern farmers wake up, improve their methods, produce cotton to the acre, keep their laborers and control the boll weevil evil, European markets for cotton are going to look to other fields for the product which the South has been providing, according to a report issued on the world cotton situation by the Agriculture Bureau of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

The report says that the "steady decline in production in the United States, accompanied by the increase in price of the American staple has been reflected in increasing activity on the part of the foreign governments to develop potential cotton areas outside of America.
The labor shortage is declared to be the serious problem due to a steady migration of cotton belt laborers to industrial centers of the North and East. Alabama, Florida, Georgia and Mississippi people have been urged to take the place of others. In 1922-23, 478,760 colored laborers are estimated to have migrated from the South. "This migration is still under way."

MOOSE WIN NEW YORK SUPREME COURT FIGHT
NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The New York Supreme Court today handed down a decision denying the motion of the Loyal Order of Moose, a white order, from obtaining a permanent injunction restraining the Independent Benevolent and Protective Order of Moose, a colored order, from using the same name, signs and rituals.

The Judge's Decision
Associated Negro Press
Associated Negro Press, Jan. 14.—The L. O. P. O. of Moose, was the plaintiff in the case. The decision is as follows:
"The issuance of a preliminary injunction with regard to the use of the name of the Moose is all that is to be done as a final judgment. Such preliminary relief is never granted except upon a preliminary proof, which is lacking here.
"There is no proof of any fraudulent intent on the part of the plaintiff in the adoption and use of its name; indeed, quite the opposite is apparent, for the membership of the defendant is composed exclusively of colored persons. The defendant has a large membership, with local organizations established throughout the United States. To stop the defendant from using the name of the Moose would result in a great hardship.
"It would result in a virtual discrimination, a harm which could not be remedied by a decree at the trial. A denial now of the motion for the restraining order applied for can in no way conceivably be regarded as prejudicial under these circumstances. It would be arbitrary and oppressive to submit a preliminary injunction to a final trial in this case."
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them away from the wild, jazy at-

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Bob Custer in "Fashion Spurs"

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Shirley Mason in

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Buck Jones in

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The Prizefight Night Picture

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FRIDAY

January 23

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Pora Doings

Mr. Zuber, St. Louis agent, also taking a Two-Day Review tour. She will return shortly to home at 3802 Windsor Place to meet her Fox business.

Mrs. Malone returned to Springfield, Tuesday, Jan. 6, to be present at

Hello, Mabel.

Yes Mabel, things have changed

and Edith Roberts. "Well, I've been a bit worried, Mabel—over rumors that I'm in deep trouble. But I'm not. I've just guided a few of the girls during the holidays. I hope you are those rumors, Auntie!"

"Why, I was told that these girls made several visits to a questionable place, Mabel. I'm not sure, but I doubt while over there was very unbecoming to self-respecting people, and I'm sure it was very unbecom-

ing to the standard of morality in this town and never will change. It is the same standard that I have set for my mother, was a girl. I can't confess the some folks do any thing they see fit to do. I'm not sure, but I doubt the basins of 'society' but to shame make it right, and only go down to the gutter. I'm not sure, but I doubt the folks would be ostracized, you feel that you can afford to be

With Look, Work Your Part and Good, 2021 not meaning to deride the good, but to encourage the good. The Poro Slave Committee reports that Alice Look of Station I, doing her duty, was found in the kitchen, Kate, still confined to her bed, still in the hands of Mrs. Katie Sisson, of the Laundry, and the children, the children of the Shipping Department, were being slowly and Mrs. Ann

visit such "places." Judging from the tone of the letter, I would say he would be justified in pulling you on the same level. Have you ever heard and again that the spirit of a feather can be blown by the wind? If you would have people believe you to be better than the others, you must be better than the others. One cannot play with fire often and not be burned. I have to run to death.

FREE SO COLD, COULDN'T

By E. W. Baker, Correspondent
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 13.—
At noon Monday, January 12, Mr.
Pal, calls officer

[illegible]

the ground because his pal's were so numb that he could swing him into a window on applicant as page. The ballot read as follows: Vote for Paul K. Robinson, the only colored applicant as page. These ballots were distributed as

he had lowered Hill from the bench story-room to the eleventh floor, and he had to break the window and rob it. "I was a coward," tried and could not give him the necessary swing, the Ray said, "so I guess the fall won't hurt much as the rope and the cold." In making this statement, Noland came from the building and told the press that there is no question as to whether or not the Republicans stand up for him. While he was not successful, his friend was not discouraged. "I am not going to be asking the powers for their vote. Let our Republican members know that we are not the boys in the minority. They must be given a chance. If the voters are to give the

and then carried the two voracious criminals to jail.

CHURCH WORKERS MEET
IN PINE BLUFF, ARKANSAS

National Health Sanitarium Association are now offering to lease the hospital and grounds at Hot Springs for a term of years so that the lepers may have an opportunity to prepare for their final journey in a more comfortable and pleasant program.

More than \$140,000 was taken in the Pine Bluff, Ark., drive for the leprosy fund. The drive was conducted by the Pine Bluff district council, president S. L. Greene, presiding officer of the drive. The district council, president S. L. Greene, presiding officer of the drive. The district council, president S. L. Greene, presiding officer of the drive.

DIANA LEGISLATURE
ACKS SEGREGATION BILL

DIANA, Ind., July 12.—The Indiana legislature today rejected a bill to segregate the disabled.

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... F. E. Galliard was chairman of the committee and G. R. Ellison is treasurer.

ARRESTED 20 MINUTES AFTER MARRIAGE

Associated Negro Press.

ST. LOUIS, N. C. Jan. 14.—When

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...called the other master who was
...He then gave Batchelor the 'I'
...and married him. Twenty
...years later he got word from the
...and called Justice that Napoleon was the
...is wanted for passing off worthless
...check. The newly-made groom was



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"I am convinced myself that there is no more evil in this present world than race prejudice; none at all."
"A white deliberately is the worst single thing in life now."
"If Judas and holds together more basely, cruelty and abomination than any other sort of error in the world." — W. Wells

OUR INTEREST IN COMMON

The approaching mayoralty campaign of this city surely presents a mighty challenge to the colored people to show their intelligence, strength of courage, and sound judgment.

As in the past, there will be those who will cast their votes for certain candidates for various reasons, therefore, an entire solid vote for one candidate is hardly to be expected. But there ought to be, for our own protection and benefit, some organized effort among us which will serve to unify our voting strength to the end that the power of our vote may be felt in the most effective way.

The masses are ready for just this kind of thing. They want to get somewhere. They see that we are still in the wilderness. They are crying places for self. So, the challenge is today, leadership is standing still or marking time.

To go forward at this time will require wise and sane leadership. Not the self-seeking kind that has blinded our path for the past forty years, but the self-disinterested kind that has the welfare of the people at heart.

The job-hunter, and those with itching palms, cannot be trusted for leadership; not that seeking a job is wrong, or that it is wrong to expect monetary consideration for service, but when so-called leaders are seeking jobs for themselves, it is but human to expect them to think of self first. Experience has taught us that in most instances, one loses sight of the interest of the people when seeking places for self. So, the challenge is today, leadership is standing still or marking time.

We realize the difficulties that of necessity must come in our way when we attempt to organize. We also know that it is next to impossible for all of us to follow one leader; but we can come together for counsel and aid through committees. We can come and reason together, for, in the final analysis, whatever affects one, affects the other to a greater or lesser degree.

WILL THEY SUPPORT EITHER?

Congressman L. C. Dyer has written to the St. Louis daily papers urging these publications to support his efforts to break up lynching in this country by advocating federal anti-lynching laws.

Of course, it is hardly to be expected that any of these newspapers will support such a law because that would look too much like a sincere effort to really put an end to lynching is being made.

We have noted that some of these papers are giving as their reason for not supporting federal control of lynching, that it is impractical, and a usurpation of states rights. The question of states rights is a very indefinite term, and, no doubt, hard to define. Judging by the number of present federal laws, that are closely allied with states laws, it looks to us as if the powers of the government have a pretty wide latitude.

There may rightly be some differences, however, or differences of opinion, as to what constitutes states rights, but we all agree that the United States Government owes to every citizen, by the declaration of its Constitution, the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. These are the natural common benefits that should be enjoyed by all. When a state fails, therefore, by reason of lax law enforcement, to maintain and protect life, and assure the citizens these benefits, it is the duty of the government to step in and make good its declaration of the principles enumerated in its Constitution.

In other words, the United States Government owes these things through the local or state governments. It is, therefore, incumbent upon the federal government to protect life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, and to see to it that the local or state officers do their duty.

There seems to be no use of discussing even the remotest possibility of the states, especially the southern states, and those associated with the southern spirit, passing a law, or doing anything else to stop lynching, their borders. For more than one reason, lynching has become the life-line of the Constitution of the several states; and that of the United States. These lynchings have been protected under the guise of states rights. This cry has continued until it has become a huge joke. No one who thinks any longer has any faith in the sincerity of such cries.

If the daily papers of St. Louis are really sincere about states rights, and think that the state can, and should, pass such laws as would protect its citizens from the disgraceful mob-violence, then let them show Mr. Dyer by getting behind a law to be introduced in the present legislature that will, at least, prevent a lynching in the state from looking so much like a holiday in a heathen land.

We all, more or less, have seen the picture representing Justice in the form of a woman blindfolded with a pair of balances in her hand as a symbol of justice, and, equally before the law. It might act as a general reminder to some of our judges, if one of these symbols were placed on their desks while trying some cases.

In helping others, in an unselfish way, we oftentimes help ourselves to a most surprising degree.

When we are all worked up over some act of indiscretion on the part of our fellowman, let us think of his words when He said: "He that is without sin, let him cast the first stone."

Let those who talk so much about states rights think a little more about human rights.

"History repeats itself," so said the speaker. The great ones of the past left their footprints on the sands of time by being strong and courageous. They dared to do the right despite the howling of the mob, or the lust for office. We will see some more great men when we have those who are willing to follow the footsteps of these gone on before.

Custom has so shaped things in this country that we find it necessary for special mention to be made of our group when public officials are talking to the American public. We wish it were not necessary, but it is, and we, therefore, expect it.

SPINGARN MEDAL AWARD

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Nominations for persons eligible to receive the Spingarn Medal are being received by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Such nominations should be made by the end of the year, and should be accompanied by a brief biography of the nominee. Nominations should be sent to the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, 125 E. 42d St., New York City. The award is made annually for the best achievement in the year 1924, by an American citizen of descent, for which the award is recommended, the full name and address of the person nominated, and a brief biography of the nominee.

THE HAITIAN LABORERS PUBLICLY PROTEST ACTS

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has received a report from a Haitian laborer, who has been arrested and is being held in the city of New York. The laborer, who is named as "John" (name withheld), is a Haitian laborer who has been arrested and is being held in the city of New York. The laborer, who is named as "John" (name withheld), is a Haitian laborer who has been arrested and is being held in the city of New York.

Among the signers of the laborers' protest are: John, who is a Haitian laborer who has been arrested and is being held in the city of New York. The laborer, who is named as "John" (name withheld), is a Haitian laborer who has been arrested and is being held in the city of New York. The laborer, who is named as "John" (name withheld), is a Haitian laborer who has been arrested and is being held in the city of New York.

Janitor Made Keeper Of Safe Deposit Department

CLEVELAND, Jan. 14.—As a result of a bill introduced by Representative William C. Dyer, the janitor of the Federal Reserve Bank in Cleveland has been made keeper of the safe deposit department. The bill, which was introduced by Representative William C. Dyer, has been passed by the House of Representatives.

WINS SHARE IN \$300,000 WILL KIM CONTESTED

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 14.—A contest for the \$300,000 prize offered by the California State Lottery Commission has been won by a woman named "Will Kim." The prize was offered by the California State Lottery Commission, and was won by a woman named "Will Kim." The prize was offered by the California State Lottery Commission, and was won by a woman named "Will Kim."

Women Prepare For Talbert Memorial Fund Drive

Associated Negro Press. DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 14.—Claiming that the movement for Frederick Douglass, purchased two years ago by the National Association of Colored Women, is deteriorating for want of proper care, Mrs. Sallie W. Talbert, who is the president of the fund, has called for a drive to raise \$100,000 for the fund. The fund has been named after the late Mrs. Talbert, because in her will she had expressed a desire that the fund be named after her.

TO IMMORTALIZE NEGRO FIRST TO DIE FOR U. S.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—A Negro who occupies a very unique position in American history, but of whom very little is known, is Crispus Attucks, who was the first man to be shot dead in the cause of American independence. Now the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is planning to immortalize him.

ASKS ANNUAL CLAIMS WIFE OF YEARS, COLORED

PERMO, Colo., Jan. 14.—A. A. Kramer, who lived here with his wife, one Emma Kramer, for the past three years, died last night in the county court Friday on the grounds that his wife was of Negro descent. Kramer declared that he never suspected the secret of his wife's birth until last month. She admitted that she had mixed blood, but claimed her ancestors were French.

POLITICS AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

ASSOCIATED NEGRO PRESS

DEMOCRACY IS MUDDLED Associated Negro Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—The Senate has been muddled by political happenings in Washington, and they are not Republican. The Democrats are knocking at the key's lock in such a way that it seems next to impossible for it to be opened. The Senate has been muddled by political happenings in Washington, and they are not Republican.

Howard University Suffers In Approving The Interior Bill, the Senate adopted all amendments submitted by the appropriation committee, except that relating to a proposed appropriation of \$100,000 for the construction of a new building for the Howard University. The Senate has been muddled by political happenings in Washington, and they are not Republican.

Senate Restores \$221,000 Item Although the building project item, the Senate, did, however, restore the \$221,000 item for the construction of a new building for the Howard University. The Senate has been muddled by political happenings in Washington, and they are not Republican.

For maintenance, to be used in payment of part of the salaries of the teachers, and for other regular employees of the university, and stationary, the bill would require the payment of \$221,000 for the construction of a new building for the Howard University.

Medical department: For part cost, needed equipment, supplies, apparatus and repair of laboratories and buildings, \$50,000. For material and apparatus for chemical, physical, biological, and astronomical studies, and use in laboratories of the science hall, including cases and the shelving, \$30,000.

For books, shelving, furniture, and fixtures for the libraries, \$30,000. For improvement of grounds and repairs of buildings, \$20,000. For fuel and light: For part payment for fuel and light, \$10,000. For the building of the science hall, \$10,000.

TEXAS NEGROES FORM HEALTH LEAGUE Preston News Service. EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 14.—The Negroes of this section of Texas are showing a marked concern in the health of the members of the race. Under the auspices of the Texas Public Health Association, they have organized a health league.

According to the announced plans, the league will cooperate with the Texas Public Health Association in carrying on general health education activities, the league will provide the observance of a general health week in April. Officers of the league are: W. M. Coleman, president; J. E. Sampson, secretary; and Mrs. J. E. Sampson, treasurer.

Wife Of Forester Is In Critical Condition, Case No. 12 Paralel In Country Preston News Service. VERA CRUZ, Mexico, Jan. 14.—A telegram from Mexico City says that Mrs. Leonarda Cruz, wife of a forester at Chapultepec, gave birth to a dead child. She is now in a serious condition and may die at any moment. She is suffering intensely from the effects of the birth.

HEAR SNEEZE; FIND MAN PERCHED ON TABLE LEG MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 14.—Gaining advance notice that the Minneapolis police department purloined a man on its way to their squad was at 423 Sixth avenue, Ben Wilson, who was put out the lights and hid.

Upon receiving a no response to three knocks, the police forced their way into the house and saw a man perched on the table leg. The man, who was named as "John" (name withheld), was found perched on the table leg.

FREE'S MAIL CLERKS, SAYS LOW PAY LED TO STEAL HELD UNDER \$3,000 BOND FOR REDIRECTING MAIL WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—After being watched for over three months, Benjamin R. Simms, 2002 Nichols avenue, S. E., a mail porter employed by the Washington Terminal Company, was caught redirecting a parcel post package to his home. The package contained a clock valued at \$45. Simms' address has been changed to 1000 14th St. N. E.

A preliminary hearing was given before United States Commissioner George H. Macdonald, Simms was ordered held for the action of the grand jury under \$3,000 bond.

HOWARD UNIV. APPROPRIATION S AGAIN CUT

Action Taken When Senator Overman Of North Carolina Threatens To Fight It On Point Of Order.

Amount Would Have Started Construction Of Medical Dept. Building, Bourbon South Still Opposing Higher Race Education

Howard University Suffers In Approving The Interior Bill, the Senate adopted all amendments submitted by the appropriation committee, except that relating to a proposed appropriation of \$100,000 for the construction of a new building for the Howard University. The Senate has been muddled by political happenings in Washington, and they are not Republican.

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Medical department: For part cost, needed equipment, supplies, apparatus and repair of laboratories and buildings, \$50,000. For material and apparatus for chemical, physical, biological, and astronomical studies, and use in laboratories of the science hall, including cases and the shelving, \$30,000.

For books, shelving, furniture, and fixtures for the libraries, \$30,000. For improvement of grounds and repairs of buildings, \$20,000. For fuel and light: For part payment for fuel and light, \$10,000. For the building of the science hall, \$10,000.

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is the record of Heffredo Doo-
angel Van Huren, Negro, who
in the United States, and who
Christmas day celebrated his 55th
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pleted with wholesome philosophy
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ship of all who know him, and
well thought of in the community.
He was born in the year 1859
his section during the last half

steagboats and it was during this
time that the South's mistletoe song
"Dixie" was written. The first time
was in 1859, and it was not altered
1862; and he tells of it in this man-
ner:
"I was early in the fall, just be-
fore cotton picking time, and the old
boat 'The Sweeney,' where
I was, was about to be sold. I was
the share at Jefferson City, Mo.
was in the evening and everything
was quiet. I was not asleep, but
except moaning of some fugitive slave
who chained together and being
driven in the night, I was enjoying
playing a few old-time tunes on my
fiddle, when I saw a band coming
around some plank. It was
a very long band, and I was
came on the boat to have a conver-

near Louisville, Ky., from that time, like a hound dog with treed possum—never had I heard anything so beautiful before. The man, who was assisting in her made the band play the tune over and over until they were given over to those who were helping.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 31.—According to figures compiled by the United States census bureau,

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PREDICTS TOOTHLESS RACE
— Press.
DENVER, Colo., Jan. 14.—Unless
man lays off ten biscuits,
chewing gum and toasted marsh-
mallows the next 10,000 will produce
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CHARLESTON, Mo.

By Rachel Alexander

Services at the Mercantile M. B. Church (Sunday School) 10:00 a.m. Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. night. B. Y. P. U. will give a "three acts" play, "The Three Kings." The "Masonic Sisters" will meet at the home of Mrs. C. R. Bell, 11:30 a.m. Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. night. Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. night. Rev. C. R. Bell has returned home. Mr. Johnson has gone to Memphis for medical treatment. Mrs. Bell is the sick list. Services at Perry.

Church were well attended. Sunday school is in a splendid condition under the able leadership of the superintendent, Mrs. C. Jordan. Service at 11 o'clock was good. Our three o'clock class was well attended and the spirit of God manifested in the singing and prayer. The stirring sermon Sunday night, which was the 24th division of Psalms decided. The pastor's rally was a success. The Board No. 2 was entertained by the president, Mrs. Greely Hall. Friday evening the pastor's rally was moving on nicely. Every auxiliary is wide awake. The County fair will hold a two days' session at the new building beginning on the 23rd. All for professional men are urged to attend school boards will grant them the time. An interesting program is being presented by the pastor of a series of sermons. The pastor's rally will be held at the County Center St. Baptist Sunday evening.

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church. *** Mr. Eliza Madison. Mrs. sas, is visiting Mrs. Emmitt Tomlin and sick with the mumps. B. Washington is on Mrs. Adline Noel, who is recovering. *** berry, who had his some time ago, is *** Mr. W. M. Will-

achievements of the Negroes of St. Louis if you fail to read the Argus? Send news to Ben Catlin.

Those among the sick are: Mrs. Zella Wallace, Mrs. Dudley Richardson, Mrs. A. A. Bell and Mr. David Farrar. The Community Club met Tuesday evening at the Harrison Avenue Baptist Church. Business of vital importance was discussed. *** We are asking the patrons to come out next Tuesday evening, January 20

to the A. M. E. Church and hear what was done in the tax suit at Jefferson City, Jan. 12. Come out and hear what has been done in order that it may encourage us to do more. *** Mr. Owens will be buried Thursday from the A. M. E. Church at Webster Groves.

Mr. Damon Hill has returned from St. Louis where he had his left eye removed. ... The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Damon Hill, who has been seriously ill is much improved. ... Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Colvin of Garrettsville drove down Sunday to visit Mr. Peter Hill, who has been

quite indisposed. ** Mr. Lewis Bridges is numbered with the Ill of the week. ** The Apron Social given at St. Luke's Thursday, under the auspices of Stewardess Board No. 1 was quite a unique affair. Mesdames Hunt and Poston managed it very splendidly. ** Mr. Felix Poston has recovered from a recent illness. ** Mrs. Mary Marshall and daughter, Marion Houston, ** given by the school night was quite a success. ** their aim to assist in raising sufficient cash to purchase a piano for the Fannie Taylor has given them two weeks vacation. ** Lewis is reported on a business trip. ** his husband came and was

Maxine of Crystal City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Callister, this week. ** Rev. R. Woods has enjoyed the past two weeks. Coffman, returned here for the Sunday's duty. ** Mrs. Marie Doughitt is enjoying the week at Coffman. ** if you want a real evening of fun, come to the Masonic Hall, next Monday night, Jan. 1st. ** The singing will be held in church Tuesday night. It is the purpose of discuss and thrash points for the bet colored citizens of St. invited. ** Mr. and y motored to Lator

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week. *** Misses Theola Cayce, An-
della Cayce, Ruth Bridges, Roberta
Harris, Rev. Woods and Walter
Sherman have been recent visitors
at Douglass School.

crowder preached an able Sunday morning. Rev. T. H. Smith, pastor of the Baptist church, gave the services were well attended all.

The funeral of Miss Clara M. Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orlent and wife and Mrs. Ad. Smith, was held at the residence of Mrs. Ellen Brown, who has been so long ill. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Sunday morning.

Under the leadership of the superintendent, W. T. Newman, the members of the church are making a very fine record.

Morning Star Temple No. 1, of its regular monthly meeting, was held at 7 p. m. which was well attended.

Daughter left last Thursday for a visit to her mother, Mrs. Holman, who has been taking from her illness. It will be glad to know that she is getting well.

Two weeks ago with Mrs. Nellie Tobery, who was attending a meeting Sunday at the Baptist church, and Mrs. Solanta, preached a good morning and at night.

CARROLLTON.

The attendance at Virginia street church was very good last night. Mrs. Eveline May, of the Baptist church, of Junction City, Kansas, to the wife of Mrs. Marshall's sister, who has returned from her home in Kansas, to resume her services at the church on Monday, Friday night and Sunday.

Attendance was excellent. The services were held in a splendid introduction and the church was very well instrumental solo was rendered.

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to Mr. Ed Wadlington re-
to his home in Winona, Miss-
evening. ** Mr. and Mrs. Ed
Haynes and Miss Emma Haynes
and here from Mississippi. Mon-
* Mrs. Charlotte Coleman of
City, is visiting relatives here.
on the sick list are Mrs. Laura
Mrs. Bob Lee and Mrs. Ida

POTOSI, MO.

T. W. Lee, being in a meet-
Carbondale, Ill. failed to at-
Sunday. Sunday school at-
was good. Testimonial meet-
the afternoon and Christian En-
at night, followed by prayer

Sunday for Summer High
Louis, where he will attend
Masters Chas. and Father
visited their aunt in Festus.
S. L. Townsion attended the
given in honor of Mrs. N.
at her sister-in-law's, Mrs.
Keeton, in Festus. ** Mr. Ir-
buehon was a Festus visitor.
Masters Edwin, Alexander

Monday night, Jan. 5, the
of the Sunshine Circle sur-
Miss Caroline Harris. All en-
very pleasant eve and left
picking over a number of par-
Jan. 9 the circle gave a su-
turity in honor of Mrs. Frances
and daughter, Mrs. Jas.
evening was spent with mus-
ic and refreshments, and

by all. * Buster Mitchell
... The infant son of Mrs. T
is improving. * Last Mon
th a band of jubilee singers
presented by Mr. Arthur Cacev
and Mr. Jas. Johnson as
a director. Our purpose is
to raise funds to repair our church
rest as our leader. * The M.

My school board met at the
Mr. Jac. Gill, Jr. *** Our
teacher and school worker is
being nicely. Parents call and
ask the teacher of your chil-
dren word of encouragement is a
shield. *** Is it a fact we need
watchmen at the school
and church? Surely our coun-
try is one of civilized folk. *** Our

and a stronger unpopularity than others, and less likelihood. *** Sunday. All are invited to it and do their bit.

NEW FRANKLIN, MO.

McClelland Miller of Sedalia is here last Monday on route. *** Mrs. Mattie Thorpe

W. C. GORD

Payette last Friday to be at
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